



Container
Corporation
of America

Container Division

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Environmental Protection Agency
Region X
M-S 530-A
1200 Sixth Avenue
Seattle, WA 98101

Re: Container Corporation of America
Portland Container Plant
RCRA Hazardous Waste Activity Notification

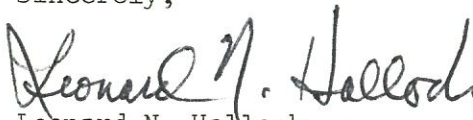
Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a completed RCRA Hazardous Waste Activity Notification (EPA Form 8700-12) for Container Corporation of America's ("CCA") Portland, Oregon Container Plant.

As CCA has not yet completed the assessment of the quantity and types of wastes at its facilities it is filing a notification form for many facilities that may not generate or handle hazardous wastes or, where they do, that may be small quantity generators. In particular, pending final assessment of the raw materials and/or waste streams at these facilities, we have checked for each such facility all of the characteristic categories in item IX.E that we felt might conceivably be applicable. Moreover, pending clarification by the U.S. EPA of the scope of the regulations, based on statements by U.S. EPA personnel that all generators should also file notification as treaters, storers, or disposers, we have automatically checked the "Treat/Store/Dispose" box in all of the forms.

This notification is therefore based on U.S. EPA's guidance to file when there is the slightest doubt as to the applicability of the regulations and not necessarily on a determination that this plant actually generates or handles hazardous waste.

Sincerely,


Leonard N. Hallock
Plant Manager

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Enclosure